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### PARENT INFORMATION

Applicants: Beyda

Serial No.: 09/738,533

Filed: December 15, 2000

Title: APPARATUS AND SYSTEMS FOR UTILIZING CALLER ID DATA TO AUTOMATE RETURN CALL PROCESSING Express Mail Label No. EV 335969513 US

Date of Deposit: January <u>2004</u>

Group Art Unit: 2645

Examiner: Weaver

## TRANSMITTAL OF 37 CFR SECTION 1.53(b)(1) CONTINUATION APPLICATION

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BOX PATENT APPLICATION (CONTINUATION) Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Arlington, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

This is a request for filing a [X] continuation [] divisional application under 37 CFR S ction 1.53(b)(1) of pending prior application Serial No. <u>09/738,533</u> filed on <u>December 15,</u> 2000, inventors <u>William J. Beyda</u> for <u>APPARATUS AND SYSTEMS FOR UTILIZING CALLER</u> ID DATA TO AUTOMATE RETURN CALL PROCESSING

1. [X] Enclosed is a complete copy of the prior application, including the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney and all assignments as filed. A statement pursuant to 37 CFR Section 1.60(b) verifying the complete copy as a true copy of the prior application appears at paragraph 10 below.

2. [X] Enclosed is a Preliminary Amendment (canceling in the original application Claims 1-13, keeping Claim 14 and adding new Claims 15-25) from the prior application before calculating the filing fee.

3. [] An Information Disclosure Statement, 1449 and \_\_\_\_\_ references are enclosed.



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4. [X] The filing fee is calculated below: CLAIMS AFTER ENTRY OF ACCOMPANYING PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

For	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Additional Fees
Total Claims	12 - 20	= 0	x \$ 18	\$ 0.00
Indep. Claims	4 - 3	= 1	x \$ 86	\$ 86.00
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	\$ 770.00			
	\$ 856.00			

5. [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge **<u>\$ 856.00</u>** and any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Account No. <u>19-2179</u>. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

6. [X] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: --This is a [X] continuation, [] divisional, of application serial no. <u>09/738,533, filed</u> December 15, 2000.--

7. [X] Priority of application serial no. 09/738,533, filed December 15, 2000 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. Section 119.

8. [X] The prior application was originally assigned to <u>Siemens Business Communication</u> <u>Systems, Inc.</u> It has recently been reassigned to <u>Siemens Information and Communication</u> <u>Networks, Inc.</u>, a copy of the Assignment Transmittal and Assignment document of the change in title is enclosed.

9. a. [X] The power of attorney in the prior application appears in the original papers in the prior application.

b. [X] Address all future communications to:

Elsa Keller Legal Administrator Siemens Corporation Intellectual Property Department 170 Wood Avenue South Iselin, NJ 08830 Tel: (732) 321-3026

10. [X] I hereby declare that the attached papers are a true copy of the prior application serial no. <u>09/738,533</u> as originally filed on <u>December 15, 2000</u>.

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11. [X] Please make of record and consider in the present Application the prior art of record in the prior application.

Date: 19 Jan 04

Respectfully submitted,

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THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Washington, D.C. 20231

# TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR NEW PATENT APPLICATION

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a(n)[X] Original patent application.[X] Utility[] Design[] Continuation-in-part application

INVENTOR(S): William J. Beyda

TITLE: APPARATUS AND SYSTEMS FOR UTILIZING CALLER ID DATA TO AUTOMATE RETURN CALL PROCESSING

Enclosed are:

- [X] <u>22</u> pages of specification, claims and abstract.
- [X] \_\_\_\_\_4 sheets of drawings [] formal drawings [X] informal drawings (one set)
- [X] The Declaration and Power of Attorney [X] signed [] unsigned
- [X] An Assignment Transmittal and Assignment of the invention to: <u>Siemens Information</u> and Communication Networks, Inc.
- [X] Filing fee has been calculated as shown below (other than small entity):

For	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate		Additional Fees
Total Claims	13 - 20	= 0	x \$ 18		\$ 0.00
Indep. Claims	2 - 3	= 0	x \$ 80		\$ 0.00
[] First Presentation of a Multiple Dependent Claim					\$ 0.00
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Please charge my Deposit Account No. <u>19-2179</u> in the amount of  $\frac{710.00}{100}$ . The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>19-2179</u> pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

PLEASE MAIL CORRESPONDENCE TO: Siemens Corporation Attn: Elsa Keller, Legal Administrator Intellectual Property Department 186 Wood Avenue South Iselin, NJ 08830

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Respectfully submitted,

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